

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION to honor Barbara S. Wynne and other community activists on the groundbreaking of the Barbara S. Wynne Tennis Center.

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_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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SENATE RESOLUTION

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION to honor Barbara S. Wynne and other community activists on the groundbreaking of the Barbara S. Wynne Tennis Center.

Whereas, Barbara S. Wynne has been a catalyst and driving force behind the development of youth tennis and sportsmanship throughout Central Indiana for 40 years;

Whereas, Ms. Wynne has been a tireless promoter and fundraiser for tennis and sports-related projects, facilities and events and has helped cement the reputation of Indianapolis as one of the premier amateur tennis cities in America;

Whereas, Ms. Wynne was instrumental in helping to organize the Indianapolis chapter of the National Junior Tennis League and was an honorary pall bearer for tennis legend Arthur Ashe, Jr., who co-founded NJTL in 1969. She is also an inductee into the Midwest Tennis Hall of Fame and a recipient of the International Tennis Hall of Fame's Tennis Educational Merit Awards;

Whereas, Ms. Wynne has helped create and oversee the

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Washington Township Schools Community Tennis Program, which has provided instruction and recreational opportunities to over 24,000 citizens since 1964;

Whereas, the Barbara S. Wynne Tennis Center, the culmination of almost 40 years of commitment to the development of youth tennis in Central Indiana, is scheduled for completion in April of 2004. In addition to housing 30 tennis courts, the facility will provide 8,300 square feet of meeting rooms, additional restroom and locker room facilities, and a multipurpose room. The facility will also be the home of the Indiana Coaches Tennis Hall of Fame;

Whereas, funding of this project has been cumulative effort involving the MSD of Washington Township School Board, Superintendent Dr. Eugene White, the Indianapolis Junior Tennis Development Fund represented by Sally Lugar, Pearson Smith, Needham Hurst and Barbara Wynne, Fundraising co-chairmen Fred and Susie Fehsenfeld, John A. Kite who provided corporate financial leadership, and project fund drive kick-off chairmen Kathy and Al Hubbard;

Whereas, a committee of volunteers who met for over a year to plan this addition included Ed Davis, Gerald Wagner, Phil Smith, Dr. William Fellmy, Heather Iffert, Spencer Fields, Sue Brandt, Steve Wakefield, and Chuck Jones;

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate commends the hard work and dedication that was displayed by everyone involved in developing and funding the Barbara S. Wynne Tennis Center.

SECTION 2. That the Indiana State Senate recognizes the dedication and contributions of Barbara S. Wynne to the development of youth tennis programs throughout Central Indiana.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to



transmit a copy of this Resolution to Barbara S. Wynne and to Heather Iffert.

